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SUBJECT REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION
Study of 60 colleges comparable to Olivet (1958 catalog; most up-to-date)

I. The following colleges have specific requirements in all five areas, (Eng - math - for. lang. - science - soc. studies):

1. Principia (Ill.)	3 - 2 - 2 - 1 - 1
2. Otterbein (Ohio)	3 - 2 - 2 - 2 - 2 (For. lang. deficiency may be made up by extra year in college with credit; only one otherwise required.)

II. The following require specific units in all except foreign language:

3. Franklin (Ind.)	3 - 1 - 0 - 1 - 2
4. Hanover (Ind.)	3 - 2 - 0 - 1 - 1, plus 4 other units from the 5 areas.
5. Bluffton (Ohio)	4 - 2 - 0 - 1 - 2
6. Dakota Wesleyan (S.D.)	3 - 1 - 0 - 1 - 2

III. The fo llowing require units in at least two or three specific areas (only Olivet of these requires foreign language for general entrance.)

7. Wheaton (Ill.)	3 - 2 (math) - 7 in other 3 areas (for. lang. 2, sci. 1 and soc. studies 2 strongly recommended.)
8. Taylor U. (Ind.)	3 - 1 - 0 - 0 - 0 (4 - 2 - 2 - 2 - 2 rec.)
9. Buena Vista (Ia.)	3 - 0 - 0 - 0 - 1½, plus 4½ in other 3 areas.
10. Coe College (Ia.)	3 - 0 - 0 - 0 - 1½, total of 9 in the 5 areas.
11. Grinnell (Ia.)	3 - 2 -- plus 7 in at least 2 of other areas.
12. Luther (Ia.)	3 - 1 -- plus 7 from 5 areas (2½ math, 2 for. lang., and 3 science recommended for science majors.)
13. Morningside (Ia.)	3 - 0 - 0 - 0 - 1½, plus 4 from 4 areas, not including for. lang.
14. U. of Dubuque (Ia.)	2 in math; total of 10 from the 5 areas.
15. Wartburg (Ia.)	3 - 0 - 0 - 0 - 1½, plus 4½ spread in 3 areas.
16. Eastern Nazarene (Mass.)	4 - 2 - 2 (for AB degree) 0 - 0 (1 unit of hist. advised.)
17. Hastings (Nebr.)	3 - 2 (math) -- plus 4 from 5 areas.
18. Olivet (Ill.)	3 - 0 - 2 - 0 - 0, 2 majors and 1 minor required.

IV. The following require only English as a specific area:

19. Augustana (Ill.)	3, plus 7 units recommended in 4 other areas.
20. Aurora (Ill.)	3, plus 7 units from 4 other areas recomm.
21. Elmhurst (Ill.)	3, plus 7 units from 4 other areas required.
22. Greenville (Ill.)	3, plus 6 other units: 2 majors and 1 minor or 1 major (Eng.) and 2 minors.
23. Illinois College (Ill.)	3, plus 7 units from other areas.
24. Monmouth (Ill.)	3, plus 7 units from other areas.
25. N. Central (Ill.)	3, plus 7 units from other areas. (Majors or minors in all areas recommended, especially math, and foreign lang.))

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26.	Cornell (Ia.)	3, plus 4 from other areas; preference given those who have 2 in each area.
27.	Iowa Wesleyan (Ia.)	3, plus 6 from the 5 areas.
28.	Alma (Mich.)	3, plus 1 major and 2 minors.
29.	Hillsdale (Mich.)	3, plus 1 major and 2 minors.
30.	Kalamazoo (Mich.)	3-4, plus 8-9 spread in 3 other fields.
31.	Heidelberg (Ohio)	3, plus 7 from the 5 fields.
32.	Mt. Union (Ohio)	3, plus 8 spread in 3 fields. (Recommended: 3 - 2 - 2 - 2-1 - 1)
33.	Muskingum (Ohio)	3-4, plus 8-9 in othe r fields.

V. The following recommend a pattern of subjects including foreign language:

34.	Lake Forest (Ill.)	(4 - 3 - 2 - 1 or 2 --2)
35.	Millikin (Ill.)	(4 - 2 - 2 - 2 - 2)
36.	Anderson (Ind.)	(3 - 2 - 2 - 1 - 1)
37.	Earlham (Ind.)	(4 - 2 - 2 - 2 - 2)
38.	Goshen (Ind.)	(3 - 2 - 2 - 1 - 2)
39.	Indiana Central	(4 - 2 - 2 - 2 - 2)
40.	Manchester (Ind.)	(3 - 2 - 2, plus one other major and a total of 2 majors and 2 minors.)
41.	Central (Ia.)	(3-4, - 2 or more - 2 or more - 2 or more.)
42.	Baker U. (Kans.)	(3 - 2 - 2 - 1 - 2)
43.	Pasadena (Cali.)	(3 - 2 - 2 - 1 - 1, required only of graduates from unaccredited high schools.)
44.	Seattle Pacific (Wash.)	(3 - 2 - 2 - 1 - 1)

VI. The fo llowing colleges recommend a pattern excluding foreign languages:

45.	Carthage (Ill.)	(3 - 2 - 0 - 1 - 1)
46.	Parsons (Ia.)	(Recommends the student be prepared "As well as possible" in Eng., math, science, and soc. studies.)
47.	Simpson (Ia.)	(3 - 3 - 0 - 3 - 3)
48.	Ashland (Ohio)	(3-4 - 2 - 0 - 1 - 1)
49.	Grove City (Pa.)	(4 - 2 - 0 - 1 - 2)

VII. The following colleges suggest an emphasis on academic subjects or a college prep. co urse without designating prepared areas, other than English:

50.	Westmer (Ia.)	"Studies exceptable to the college"
51.	Emmanuel Missionary (Mich.)	2 majors and 2 minors in academic areas.
52.	Hope (Mich.)	(Recommended: 3 Eng and 7 in 3 of the academic areas.)
53.	Marietta (Ohio)	(Completion of prep. course usually req.)
54.	Wilmington (Ohio)	(College prep. course recommended.)
55.	Gustavus Adolphus (Minn.)	11 units in the academic areas.
56.	Nebraska Wesleyan (Nebr.)	(Recommends about half of the work to be done in academic areas, at least after the ninth grade.)

VIII. The following neither require nor recommend any subject pattern, but only graduation from an accredited high school.

57. Illinois Wesleyan
58. Asbury (Kentucky)
59. College of the Ozarks (Ark.)

IX. One college suggests no academic requirements, putting the whole responsibility on the Admission Committee to determine who is to be admitted:

60. Blackburn (Ill.)

SUMMARY:

15 colleges have only English as a definite requirement.
12 add one or two other subjects to English.
6 add only math.
4 add only social studies.
Eastern Nazarene adds math and foreign languages, designating the latter for AB degree.
Olivet, only, requires foreign languages for general entrance.
4 require units in all areas except foreign languages.
2 require units in all five areas.
11 recommend a pattern including foreign languages.
5 recommend a pattern excluding foreign language.
7 do not specify the areas but recommend or require preparation in the academic subjects.
3 only require high school graduation.
1 does not even make this requirement.
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20 include foreign language in a requirement (4) or a recommendation (16); 11 exclude them specifically; 29 are not specific.

SUGGESTED CHANGES IN SUBJECT REQUIREMENTS:

1. Omit any specific requirement of foreign language for entrance, except that two units must be offered if it is to be counted as part of the fulfillment of the academic subject requirement.

2. That English be the only specific requirement, but that several other units be required within the five fields and representing at least three of the other four academic subject areas (a total of at least ten hours in college preparation subjects).

3. That a recommended pattern be set up and an explanation made of why such subjects are recommended.

4. That there be an Admission Committee to study the various qualifications of applicants who do not meet the usual requirements for entrance, and whose duty it would be to pass on the admission of such students and to require where deemed necessary aptitude or achievement tests, probationary or provisional standing, and certain courses to be taken as deficiency requirements. The existence of this Committee and the various criteria on which admission is based should probably be explained in an introductory paragraph on the admissions policy at Olivet. For examples see the catalogs of Augustana College, Aurora College, Carthage College, Elmhurst College, Lake Forest College, Illinois College, Illinois Wesleyan University, etc. Among our own colleges Eastern Nazarene seems to have the best statement. (For a very full statement see Ashland College, Ohio; for a very brief statement Seattle Pacific College.)